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Response Due Date 12/12/2016

IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: C00540898

REFERENCE: AUGUST MONTHLY REPORT (07/01/2016 - 07/31/2016)

## Dear Treasurer:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. Failure to adequately respond by the response date noted above could result in an audit or enforcement action. Additional information is needed for the following  $\underline{1}$  item(s):

- 1. Line 21(b) of the Detailed Summary Page of your report discloses a total of \$111,895.27 in other federal operating expenses. The sum of the entries itemized on Schedule B, however, indicates the total to be \$140,423.61. Please amend your report to clarify the discrepancy. (11 CFR § 104.3(a) and (b))
- Your report discloses certain categories of financial activity that have been reflected on the wrong lines of the Detailed Summary Page. For your information and consideration when preparing future filings, independent expenditures should be properly disclosed on a separate Schedule E, supporting Line 24 of the Detailed Summary Page. Please refer to the instructions for each line when determining the proper categorization(s) for your next filing. (52 U.S.C. §30104(b) (formerly 2 U.S.C §434(b)) and FORM 3X Instructions)

Please note, you will not receive an additional notice from the Commission on this matter. Adequate responses must be received by the Commission on or before the due date noted above to be taken into consideration in determining whether audit action will be initiated. Failure to comply with the provisions of the Act may also result in an enforcement action against the committee. Any response submitted by your committee will be placed on the public record and will be considered by the Commission prior to taking enforcement action. Requests for extensions of time in which to respond will not be considered.